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GERMAIN'S ROSES-GROWN IN CALIFORNIA



GERMAIN'S 1958 ROSE INTRODUCTION



as gay and alluring as its name

A New Red Rose . . . exciting and radiantly beautiful with vibrant, deep crimson, non-fade blooms. Exquisitely formed high-centered buds open to deep crimson, semi-double flowers with velvety textured petals. The profu-sion of blooms are borne both singly and in clusters on unusually long cutting stems . . . 12 to 18 inches. The Merry Widow has a particularly pleasing fragrance, reminiscent of the old fashioned red rose. This newest Germain's grandiflora rose, another Dr. Lammerts original, attains a height of 4 to 4½ feet. The entire bush is gloriously clothed in dark green leathery foliage.

> NF7232 \$2.75 each 3 for \$7.20



Flowers are a radiant warm salmon pink with a golden sheen at the base of each petal. The large, long pointed buds open into high centered blooms measuring up to 6 inches across, produced freely on long cutting stems.

The plants bearing these gorgeous flowers are vigorous and well branched. Foliage covers the plant with semi-glossy dark green leaves.



Its true guinea golden yellow holds their magnificent brilliant tone in open blooms for days-even in bright hot sunshine-without trace of fading! The full, beautifully shaped buds open to large, strong blooms on long, straight stems. Foliage is disease resistant and its vigorous, shining dark green tone forms a perfect foil for the golden flowers borne in season-long profusion.

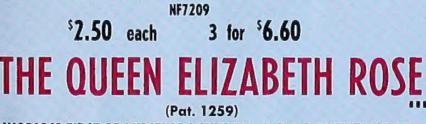
> NF7253 \$2.50 each

GERMAIN'S ROYAL COLLECTION WORLD'S MOST THRILLING ROSE COLLECTION EVER OFFERED CHRYSLER IMPERIAL, QUEEN ELIZABETH, SUN VALLEY NF7402 (\$7.50 Value) ALL 3 ONLY \$6.50

CHRYSLER IMPERI A.A.R.S. WINNER 1953 AMERICA'S FIRST TRULY RED ROSE (Pat. 1167)

Unmatched by any other red rose, its vivid rich tones of crimson are enhanced by darker overtones of glowing oxblood red, and the gem-like luster of garnet in the folds *retain* its sparkling beauty.

The long tapering buds open to large, high centered flowers measuring 4½ to 5 inches with 40 to 50 wide petals. Flowers are borne on sturdy, medium long stems.



WORLD'S FIRST GRANDIFLORA WINNER. A.A.R.S. WINNER 1955

The rose that created the Grandiflora class! The flowers are unusual in color-combining soft carmine rose and dawn pink-and are borne regally single on long straight stems as well as in clusters. The entire bush is gloriously clothed with glossy, deep green foliage on almost thorn-free stems.

NF7243 \$2.50 each

THE FINEST PILLAR and CLIMBING ROSE SINCE 1941

LEADING ROSARIANS AGREE: "NO OTHER ROSE LIKE THIS IN FLORICUL-TURAL HISTORY."

In 16 years, no other rose in this class has combined sufficient beauty, hardiness, and flowering qualities to win this award.

ing qualities to win this award. The buds and flowers are enchanting, combining, exquisitely shaped daffodil yellow, long pointed buds with fragrant, high centered, 25 to 30 petaled, 4½ to 5 inch yellow open blooms. Almost thornless, with long beautifully decorative bronze cutting stems, Golden Showers lends itself to spectacular cut flower arrangements. In the short time when blooms are waiting to burst forth in golden splendor, the plant is magnificently clothed clear to the ground with large, dark green glossy foliage. Golden Showers is so vigorous that it is highly resistant to rose diseases such as mildew and black spot.

A 3 WAY FUNCTIONAL ROSE

The rose that started an entirely new trend in all-rose landscape design.

1957 A.A.R.S. WINNER (Pat. 1557)

AARS

1. AS A SELF-SUPPORTING PILLAR ROSE-By allowing the canes to remain unpruned for two years, the tops of the canes arch over very gracefully, creating a compact Pillar Rose 8 to 10 feet high.

2. AS AN EYE-LEVEL ROSE BUSH-By pruning away the two-year old wood canes at the base each spring-and heading back the year old canes to about five feet-growth is restrained

3. AS A WINTER HARDY EVERBLOOMING CLIMBER-One may also train the canes against a building or trellis as a regular climber, arching them over to produce hundreds of gorgeous blooms that rival the finest Hybrid Teas!

> NF7266 \$2.75 each 3 for \$7.20



PREMIER COLLECTION MERRY WIDOW—As Gay and alluring as its name

GERMAIN'S MELODY COLLECTION A HARMONIOUS BLEND OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL ROSE COLORS-

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ALL THE WARMTH AND GLOW OF A DESERT SUNRISE FOR THE FIRST TIME CAPTURED IN A ROSE uuuma,

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NO. 5518

8 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

IRIS WEDGEWOOD Large brilliant blue flowers on long graceful stems that will fill your garden with splendor for weeks. Forms an exciting breath-taking picture when planted with King Alfred Daffodils.

NO. 5340

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Sky-blue Wedgewood Iris combined with golden yellow King Alfred Daffodils. A real feature for your garden.

NO. 5530 28 BULBS (8 Daffodils, 20 Iris) ONLY \$1,89

PARROT TULIPS

The most unusual and interesting of all Tulip varieties. Beautifully apped blooms with fringed and frilled petals. Sensational garden Rever in a blend of exquisite colors. Long lasting cut flowers. Vixed colors.

HO. 5805

GIANT TRUMPET DAFFODILS

Outstanding mixture for BED AND BORDERS. A wonderful mix-ture of choice named varieties of only the best Giant Daffodils Long lasting as cut flowers.

NO. 5516

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SWEETLY SCENTED CLUSTERS of delightfully fragrant blooms in sparkling colors of the rainbow. Blooms very early, Easy to grow and last a long time. Plant in sun or semi shade.

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Il your garden with outstanding blooms. This beautiful blend striking pastel shades is sure to be your Garden Sensation.

NO. 5278

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25 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

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15 BULBS

RANUNCULUS LARGEST STRAIN IN THE WORLD! Uniformly double, Camellia flowered type. Thrilling, brilliant and exotic colors to fill your garden with beauty. In areas of severe winters enjoy these gorgeous indoors, plant balance in your garden next spring. Ideal for winter blooms in mild climates.

HQ. 5042 25 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

ANEMONES Giant 3 to 4 inch poppy-shaped flowers of varied and vivid shades. Especially rich in exquisite blues and violets, they are delightful companion flower for the Ranunculus. Same planting suggestion as Ranunculus. NO. 5030

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HYACINTHS

These blooming size balbs will produce an abundance of fragrant colorful spikes. A beautiful blead, includes all colors in Hyacinths. Mixed colors, NO. 5312

5 BULBS ONLY \$1.00 **DARWIN TULIPS** IMAGINE giant cup-shaped blooms on long strong stems bursting in luxurious colors of red, yellow, pink, rose and lavender. These tulips will be a thrilling spectacle in your garden. Mixed colors.

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DUTCH IRIS HARDY, EARLY BLOOMING VARIETIES that will burst into exotic mixed colors of blue, yellow and white. These bulbs will bloom year after year in your garden NO. 5800

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GERMAIN'S CALLA LILIES- For Planting in Shady Areas

GOLDEN YELLOW CALLA * Grand deep yellow flowers on tall stems. Leaves spotted white. NO. 5148 3 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

RARE PINK CALLA Exceptionally lovely miniature carmine rose flower about 2 inches in diameter. HO. 5145 3 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

WHITE CALLAS

CALLA LILY GARDEN COLLECTION 3 EACH-Black, White, Yellow, and Pink NO. 5147 ALL 12 BULBS ONLY \$4.50

BLACK CALLAS (Arum Pictum) most striking and unusual variety of Calla, lowers are a rich maroon-black that are star-ingly beautiful in the garden and make gor-rous flower arrangements. tlingly geo NO. 5150 3 BULBS ONLY \$2.00

FLOWERING SHAMROCK (Oxalis) Striking, colorful, low growing, with shamrock-like foliage. Excellent for borders and edging. Ideal for indoor culture. Makes a showy color mass with shades of Yellow, Pink, White and Lavender, Mixed colors. NO, 5647

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SPIDER LILY (Lycoris) A wonderful colorful house plant that will bloom this year if planted soon. You can grow these bulbs in a five inch pot. The Spiider Lily will grow well outdoors in areas of mild climate. Beautiful shales of rose-pink, yellow and red. Mixed colors. NO. 5449

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GIANT FREESIAS This is the NEW improved strain of Giant Fragrant Freesias in a brilliant range of col-ors. In mild climates plant outdoors. In areas of severe winters they are ideal for potted plants. Beautiful in flower arrangements and delightfully fragrant. HO. 5222 ONLY \$1.00 25 BULBS

ONLY \$1.89

50 BULBS

Shaped like miniature Hyacinths, Vivid blue, bell-shaped flowers are sure to bring admiration and envy from all your friends. Splendid for in-door growing as well as the garden. Get a big supply at this low, low price. NO. 5395 25 BULBS ONLY \$1.00 ONLY \$1.89 50 BULBS

WATSONIAS BRILLIANT FLOWERING SPIKES. Similar to Gladiolus even in culture, it grows to about 4 feet high, and produces a wonderful profusion of bright flower-spikes which bloom about Easter time. Ideal for Western and Southern gardens. NO. 5875 10 BULBS ONLY \$1.25 20 BULBS ONLY \$2.25



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(Crocus Zonatus) BLOOMS IN 6 WEEKS Attractive autumn flowering Crocus; flowers rose-lilae with yellow throat, very freely produced. May be planted outdoors or indoors. Planted indoors, they bloom in 6 weeks. NO. 5196 20 BULBS ONLY \$1.00 **IRIS RETICULATA** Exceptionally EASY TO GROW in the house. Can be grown out-side and will bloom in the very early spring. Dazzling violet-blue color with a bright golden lip surrounded by a black and white area. Very sweetly scented. KQ. 5354 20 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

AUTUMN CROCUS

MIXED CROCUS This lovely cheery Flowering Crocus is earliest of Spring Flower-ing bulbs. Plant in son or shade, they are equally happy. Beautiful blend of colors. NO. 5197 15 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

WHITE CALLA LILIES A true white and one of the loveliest of all callas grows on long sturdy stems. Its green foliage lends contrast of unbelievable beauty either in the garden or in the bouquet. NO. 5157

3 BULBS ONLY \$1,00

PINK CALLA LILIES

This rare variety of calla has an exceptionally lovely miniature carmine rose flower. The bloom is about 2" in diameter.

NO. 5145 3 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

GOLDEN CALLA LILIES Grand deep yellow flowers on tall stems. Leaves are spotted white

NO. 5148 3 BULBS ONLY \$1.00

GRAPE HYACINTHS

(Muscari) A miniature Hyacinth with much beauty which brings admiration from garden lovers. Vivid blue in color. Splendid for indoor growing and for the garden.

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SCILLA Campanulata BLUE QUEEN - Beautiful Bardy spring bubb producing masses of ecquisite Blue Flow-ers. Will do equally well in cold or mild areas, in full sun or shade. The bell shaped flowers, somewhat similar to a loose pike hyacinth, are borne on 12 to 18 inch spikes. No. 5359 10 BULBS ONLY \$1.15 20 BIJIBS ONLY \$2.10



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MARIPOSA TULIPS

-Floral Butterflies

(Calochorius) You've never seen flowers like these before. Every bloom is marked like flashing darting butterflies. Exciting color tints will liven your whole garden.

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FRENCH POPPY-SHAPED	DUTCH IRIS
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Magnificent Daffodils	A COLLECTION OF THE MOST EXCITING THEIRS EVER OFFERED

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ROXANE-A large, creamy-while trumpet with round, overlapping, pute white periaoth.

ALASNAM-Wide, short, densely frilled trampet of pure yellow, a shade deeper than the perianth, finely placed with good neck flower 'looks you in the eye."

CARBINEER-A magnificent flower of splendid carriage and grent substance. Broad, flat, golden-yellow perianth standing at right angles to the large, bright orange-red cop. ROYAL SOVEREIGN-Creamy-white, interspersed with crinkled and frilled trampet petals of primose-yellow, shading to pale primose as the flower develops.

DICK WILLBAND-The perianth is pure white and the cup flame-oranged. The color does not fade.

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Show Daffodils

FRANCISCA DRAXE The pure white perianth petals are an inch and a half wide tinted gold at the base. The cup, wide and deep, is golden-yellow at the base, changing gradually to flame-orange at the densely frilled edge-

GOLDEN PERICIPAN-A perfect pertanth with wide overlapping seg-ments, deep citron-yellow with mich theen, and cup of pure gold perfectly proportioned to balance of flower.

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This is the perfect opportunity to get started on y ully collection. These large-size bulls will produ-oagnificent long-stemmed bloomr, bursting in lunuri colors of red, yellow, pink, rose, and lavenuer. Each bloon will excite you. The combination is sure to be the most sensational display of tolips to your neighborbood. HO. 5955 10 BULBS OKLY \$1.00 LARGE-SIZE DARWIN TULIPS IN A BRILLIANT MIXTURE

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